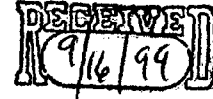




0766 '99 OCT 15 P2:07

September 15, 1999



The Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450)
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Food and Drug Administration
200 C. Street S.W.
Washington, DC 20204

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is a notification pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6) that Standard Process Inc., Palmyra, Wisconsin 53156-0904, is making the following statement:

- (1) Vitamin C and ascorbic acid are essential nutrients for the ongoing formation, repair, and replacement of bone and cartilage.*

This statement is made for a dietary supplement containing a proprietary blend of echinacea (root), rose hips, veal bone, defatted wheat (germ), bovine adrenal, dried buckwheat (leaf) juice, buckwheat (seed), acerola (berry), and mushroom. Other ingredients include ascorbic acid, honey, and calcium stearate. The name of the product is Collagen C.

The information contained herein is accurate and Standard Process Inc. has substantiation that the statements are truthful and not misleading.

Sincerely yours,

Ann Holden
Standard Process Inc.

67174

LET4424

97S-0162

